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Group Art Unit: 2835

Title: PRE-CURVED SPRING BOLSTER PLATE

Mail Stop Amendment
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Sir:

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- () Response/Amendment () Petition to extend time to respond
() New fee as calculated below () Supplemental Declaration
(X) No additional fee
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TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$86	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$280	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$420.00	3RD MONTH \$950.00	4TH MONTH \$1480.00		\$ 0
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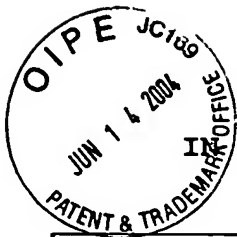
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**LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON
(Request To Make Drawings Substitution)**

Sir:

Subject to the approval of the Primary Examiner in the above-entitled patent application, please substitute the enclosed six (6) sheets of drawings, containing Figures 1, 2, 3A, 3B, 4, 5 & 6 for the previously submitted six (6) sheets of informal drawings containing Figures 1, 2, 3A, 3B, 4, 5 & 6 as originally filed.

REMARKS

Applicant(s) respectfully submit(s) that the requested drawing substitution is consistent with the corresponding material in the specification and does not add any new matter to the application.

Should the Examiner have any questions concerning this request, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned representative of the Applicants at the number shown below.

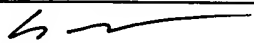
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